

"TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS, AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE."

## NEWS ITEMS

The plague has made its appearance at Rio Janeiro.

Joseph J. Langer was appointed United States Consul at Solingen, Germany.

Near Bardstown a little son of Shelby Wilkinson was run over by a wagon and killed.

The discharged puddlers at Youngstown, Ohio, were reinstated and the threatened strike was averted.

Mrs. F. R. Feland was burned, perhaps fatally, by the explosion of a lamp in her home at Lawrenceburg.

A mob of Buffalo Bill's cowboys and Indians tried to kill a man who assaulted a showman at Washington, Ind.

The Birmingham Belt railroad has been sold to a syndicate represented by H. M. Atkinson, of Atlanta.

A special issue of postage stamps commemorative of the life of the late President McKinley, is in contemplation.

G. W. Waite, the Somerset banker, was acquitted at Danville of the charge of swearing to false bank reports.

In a wreck on the grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, near Cadillac, Mich., one life was lost and five persons were injured.

The Nebraska Insane Asylum was destroyed by fire, and three missing lunatics are supposed to have been burned to death.

Ex-Gov. Robert L. Taylor, of Tennessee, and Mrs. Alice Fitts Hall, of Montgomery, were married at Tuscaloosa, Ala., Monday.

In London financial circles it is believed that Great Britain will have to raise more money on account of the South African war.

The Louisville Interstate Fair was opened auspiciously Monday. There were no inaugural formalities. The show will continue two weeks.

The Louisville Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, meets at Bowling Green Wednesday Bishop R. K. Hargrove will preside.

A reciprocity agreement with Cuba is to be negotiated whereby sugar and tobacco from the island will be admitted to the United States on favorable terms.

The new cereal combine, which was incorporated in New Jersey Saturday, with a capital of \$12,000,000, is practically a reorganization of the old American Cereal Company.

The nine Chicago anarchists arrested on the charge of conspiring to murder McKinley were released on the statement of the prosecution that there was no evidence of any character against the prisoners.

In the Schley court of inquiry the chief witness for the prosecution was Lieut. Commander Heilner, of the Texas, who gave damaging evidence regarding the maneuvers of the Brooklyn Schley's ship, during the battle of Santiago.

Fourteen members of the Reynolds band, charged with the murder of Mrs. Hall in Letcher county, will be tried at the special term of the bell Circuit Court, which convened in Pineville Monday. One member of the gang has agreed to turn State's evidence.

The Commercial Pacific Cable Company, which was incorporated at Albany, N. Y., Monday, with a capital of \$100,000, will construct a submarine cable, 8,500 miles long, from California to the Philippines, by way of Honolulu. Direct connections will also be made with China and Japan.

The Hotel Henderson, at Henderson, changed owners.

Oliver Welman, a carpenter, was fatally injured by a fall at Louisa.

One fireman was killed and several seriously injured while fighting a fire at Chicago.

The Sheridan-Big Horn stage was held up by one man and robbed in Wyoming.

A submarine boat a torpedo-boat destroyer for the navy were launched at Elizabethport, N. J.

Mike Nisbet, a union miner, was shot and painfully injured from ambush in Hopkins county.

In a quarrel over a nickel, John Wims, of Gilbert, Tenn., was fatally shot, at Washington, Ind.

The Elks will hold memorial services at Macauley's Theater Sunday afternoon in honor of Zack Phelps.

The explosion of a Michigan Central engine at Jackson, Mich., killed one man and injured two others.

At Indianapolis Robert Smith killed his brother, Frank, as the result of a quarrel over the disposition of property.

Several small boys were before the Police Court. Louisville charged with detaining and assaulting a girl aged eight years.

The undertakers of the State Tuesday morning voted to reorganize the Funeral Directors' Association of Kentucky.

J. M. Hampton was awarded \$450 damages in the condemnation suit of the L. A. and P. V. Electric Railway Company.

Booker T. Washington, the negro educator, makes the crime of Czolgosz a text from which to preach a sermon on lynching.

The three great iron producing companies of Spain agreed to amalgamate on the lines of the United States Steel Corporation.

The Pratt-Breckinridge contest case for the office of Attorney General of the State has been argued in the Court of Appeals and submitted.

Shortly after the Schley court of inquiry convened the startling announcement of the sudden death of Judge Jere Wilson, senior counsel for Admiral Schley, was made, and court adjourned till Wednesday.

## POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Argument in the Pratt-Breckinridge contest for the office of Attorney General, of Kentucky was begun before the court of appeals Tuesday.

The Rev. Lew G. Wallace, chaplain of the State prison, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Voters in the Seventh magisterial district petitioned the County Clerk of Jefferson county to put F. M. Grinstead and S. S. Silberberg on the ballot as candidates for Magistrate and Constable on "Independent Republican" ticket.

The meeting of the Cabinet Tuesday plainly developed the President's strong belief in the reciprocity principle. Little was done at the Cabinet meeting, the time being devoted to an explanation of the work of the several departments, as the President is anxious to familiarize himself with the details.

A large crowd attended the formal opening of the Democratic Senatorial campaign Monday. The four candidates, Judge James E. Cantrill, Hons. James B. McCreary, David H. Smith and Charles K. Wheeler, for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator, each made speeches. Seven debates in all, will be had.

## MARETBURG.

As our section has not been represented for a period we will come again.

There is no sickness in this vicinity at present.

Molasses making seems to be the order of the day.

Mr. Pat Hunt visited Livingston, the latter part of this week.

Mr. Simpson, from near Willie, made us a pleasant visit Saturday last.

School is progressing nicely at this place, under the helm of Prof. S. H. Martin.

Everything is lovely and seems to be saying: "There is Sunshine in my Soul today."

Quite a number of people attended the Primitive Baptists Association, held at Bloomer's church.

Prof. Walker Owens, who is teaching at Wildie, came over Saturday and returned Sunday.

A protracted meeting begins at the Christian church Monday night next, conducted by Bro. Combs.

Walter Hunt and Ottie Reynolds, after a brief visit with friends and relatives, started last week for Lt. Souis.

Mr. Emmet Cummins, who is employed with the Stone Crew, was in Sunday with parents, smiling at the girls as usual.

On Tuesday night of the 17, Jack Frost made us an unwelcome visit, owing to our not being prepared for his reception.

An apple cutting was given Wednesday night last at Mr. Oscar Ham's. There were twenty bushel sliced, more or less.

Among the number that attended the Association, Sunday at Skaggs Creek, were the Misses Lizzie Painter, Altie Owens and Maggie Mullins.

Your humble servant had the pleasure of making a trip to Crab Orchard during the first of the week, and on his return, of course, made a pleasant call.

A reception was given Saturday night last, to the youngfolk of this community, by Miss Lizzie Painter. All report their being highly entertained and a joyful time.

Everyone seems to have quite an amount of pressing work to keep them well employed, and are "russelling" and "hustling" in order that they may attend the meeting at this place.

Miss Ethel Bastin, of Crab Orchard, is visiting Miss Sadie Martin and many others of her used-to be schoolmates. It is reported she was highly entertained Sunday last, by Mr. Milton Cummins.

Quite a number of the young-folks of this immediate neighborhood, anticipate visiting Cincinnati Saturday night next. Among them are as follows: Misses Hedie Sayers, Annie Owens, Altie Owens and Mrs. Joe Cash.

May Emma and her many disciples, who are anti-philanthropists to our government, have justice so metted to them that, their power will forever be annihilated; their degrading influence destroyed, and their meeting and holding conferences in saloons, the most base of the satanic kingdom. So long as we allow them to be inhabitants, much less citizens, we can hold in view nothing else, except the act of the wicked hard of "Judas," to mar the happiness and prosperity of our well established republic. For my part, I believe the "Sedition Law" should be in force and perfectly executed to the letter, and exterminate, completely, the retrograding and cowardly, contemptible anarchists.

## BRODHEAD

Mr. J. F. Watson is up again. Miss Clyde Cass left for St. Louis, Sunday last.

Mr. Bob Collyer, of Crab Orchard, was in town Sunday.

Horace Benton left for Mt. Sterling, last Friday night.

Dr. Percy Benton left for Mt. Sterling, Friday night.

Mr. Geo. Reynolds will start West in the near future.

Mr. John Newland and wife are visiting in Ohio, this week.

Mesdames Dannie Owens and Will Adams are in Stanford, this week.

Mr. Roso Perkins, of Crab Orchard, was visiting Mr. M. C. Albright last week.

Mr. L. L. Jarrett and Postmaster A. H. Evans, left for Frankfort, Monday night.

Mr. T. S. Frith will move into C. H. Frith's new house next Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Collyer left Thursday night for Hope, Ind., where she will join her children.

Miss Louella Garrett enjoyed the smiles of her best fellow Sunday, Mr. Cooper, of Livingston.

Mr. C. K. Lewis and wife, who have been in Central America for some time, are at home again.

William Francisco is head sawyer in the (Kentucky) this week, on account of Mr. Walter Turpin being sick.

Mr. Geo. Dowell, who has been visiting in this neighborhood, returned to his home in New Albany, Ind., Sunday.

Mr. Adis Hendrickson, who has been in Lancaster enjoying the smiles of his best girl, returned home Monday.

Mesdames Owens and Adams opened up a new and complete line of millinery goods, over the post office for fall and winter, 1901-02.

Rev. A. J. Pike, accompanied by Rev. Kuykendall, were in town Friday. Rev. Kuykendall delivered an excellent sermon Friday evening.

Rev. Livingston did not fill his regular appointment at the Christian church on account of being engaged in a series of meeting at Goshens.

A crowd of young folks gathered at Mr. R. S. Martain's Saturday night, and was entertained by Miss Sallie Purcell all reported an excellent time.

I am authorized to announce that all men, women, boys and girls, who are interested in a debating society, will meet at the school house tonight, Sept. 27, and organize.

Mr. Jesse Parks, of Williamsburg, who came here several weeks ago to have his eyesight restored, returned home Sunday, seeing as well as he ever did, he having been treated by the eminent oculist Dr. I. S. Burdette.

## WORKING NIGHT AND DAY.

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## CONWAY

Samie Johnson is slightly improved at this writing.

R. M. Johnson was home from Richmond, last Sunday.

Mrs. Addie Brummett is here visiting relatives, this week.

J. W. and Harrison Lambert were in Mt. Vernon last Monday, on business.

Mrs. John Coffey, who has been visiting her mother, returned to Illinois, last Friday.

Mrs. W. D. Kelton, of Anderson, Ala., is here visiting friends and relatives, this week.

Alfred Hart, the son of Mrs. A. W. Hart, was here last week from Lexington, visiting friends.

Bunk and Henry Mobley were in Somerset last Saturday, to testify against Miss Logston.

Bunk Mobley was in Frankfort last Tuesday, as a witness against J. H. Logston, for selling liquor.

Mrs. Elmina and Miss Eva Hardin have returned home, after a several weeks' stay with relatives in Irvine.

Uncle D. N. Williams was over from Mt. Vernon last week, looking after his land and also taking oil leases.

J. R. McCollom and family, who have been in the West for some time, returned to our county a few days since.

Marshal Morrow was here from Somerset last Friday and arrested Miss Ellen Logston, on the charge of selling liquor unlawfully.

Tode Roberts, known as Tode Drew, here, was tried in J. H. Sigman's court last Friday, for disturbing the public school, and was fined \$20 and sent to jail.

## Land, Stock and Crop

W. M. Poynter sold a couple of sucking male colts, for \$65.

Elbert Hansel bought of Dr. John M. Williams, a combined horse for \$100.

B. T. Wright, of Sharpsburg, sold to Joe Turley for October delivery, 155 export cattle, 125 at 5 1/4 cts. and 30 at 5 cts. per pound.—Mt. Sterling Advocate

R. A. Watts sold to Brock & Ralback 14 heifers weight 800 lbs., at 3 1/4 cts., and to R. Wills, of Cynthiana, an extra weanling mule for \$65.—Winchester Democrat.

Ryley & Collins bought this week from L. D. Carpenter and Mrs. Cordie Dale, 1,100 bushels each, and from Boston and Thompson, 2,500 bushels wheat at 70c. per bushel.—Woodford Sun.

J. A. Howerton sold to John Redmon, 35 medium 2-year-old cattle at 3 1/2 cts., delivered October 1st. He also sold to Earl Sellers, of Lexington, a 3-year-old C. F. Clay filly, and a 2-year-old Regal Wilkes colt; and sold to A. W. Wright one yearling Southdown buck.—Paris Kentuckian.

## STRAY COW.

At my place, between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead, one pale red cow, white spot on back between the hips, and dehorned. Has been at my place 2 or 3 weeks. Owner can get some by proving property and paying damages.

sep 27 21 J. J. PURCELL.

Judge John D. Goodloe, of White's Station, sold to Jonas Wiel his entire lot of 70 cattle, including a yoke of fat oxen, at 5 cents all round. Thirty-six of these were delivered last Saturday and they averaged 1,365 pounds. The remainder will go the latter part of the month and will average up with them. Mr. Wiel also bought of T. S. Burnam, of Silver Creek, 108 head at 5 cents, for delivery in October.—Richmond Climax.

## DEATHS.

KIRBY.—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kirby lost their one-year-old baby, which died Sunday of fever.

ARGUS.—An infant child of the Rev. Argus, living on Skaggs creek, died Sunday.

HERD.—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Tip Herd, died Saturday and was buried at the Baker burying ground, Sunday.

GENTRY.—Mrs. Sallie Gentry, aged 67, died Friday night of typhoid fever. Funeral services were held Sunday at the residence of Charley Carmical, conducted by Revs. Smith, Barnes and Davant, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Cemetery, near the old home, of the Rev. J. C. Carmical.

LIVESAY.—The little ten-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Livesay, died Sunday, of scarlet fever.

ELMORE.—The six-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Elmore, of Livingston, and was taken to Stanford Monday for interment.

## PROGRAMME ROCKCASTLE S. S. CONVENTION COLLEGE CHAPEL, MT. VERNON, SEPT. 28, 1901.

9 o'clock, a. m.—Devotional Exercises, Rev. Ewers.

9:30—Address of Welcome, L. W. Bethurum.

Response, James Cook of Somerset. 9:45—Sunday-school Worker's Conference, Rev. J. C. Carmical. Followed by Rice, Holtzclaw and Ballou.

10:15—The Model Sunday-school, Rev. J. A. Burgess, Berea.

10:00—Primary Teaching in Sunday-school, Mesdames Ewers, Blazer, and Miss Mitchell.

## NOON—ADJOURNMENT.

1:30—Song and Devotional Exercises, Rev. T. D. Mullins.

1:45—Report of County S. S. Officers.

2:00—Five Minutes Talk by Five Business Men, W. J. Sparks, Jacob Sambrook, O. M. Ballard, James Cook and W. W. Hightower.

2:30—Address, Rev. David Hartsfield, Subject: Moral Influence of S. S. Work.

3:30—Report of Convention. 4:00 adjournment.

John H. Sparks' New Railroad Shows and Trained Animal Exposition will exhibit in Mt. VERNON ON SEPT. 28, Saturday afternoon and evening. Admission only 10 and 25 cents. This show is known the world over as the largest, grandest and best 25 cent. show on the road, with all new, startling, original and up-to-date features. The finest performing lions, wolves and elephants on earth are to be seen with Sparks' big one ring shows; together with a troupe of highly educated horses, ponies, mules, dogs, goats and monkeys, also a fine acrobatic and gymnastic performance and six funny clowns. See Romeo, the largest lion in captivity and Mary, the smallest baby elephant ever on exhibition. See our grand free balloon ascension, with a parachute jump also a free thrilling high tower dive from a ladder 80 feet high into a net. This is given free to all from the show ground at 1 and 7 p. m., rain or shine. Don't miss it. It alone is worth going many miles to see and it costs you nothing. Mr. Sparks offers a handsome bedroom suit to any couple that will take a trip in his big bridal balloon and get married. Now is your chance for a big novel wedding and a handsome present, and no danger of any accident at all. There have been hundreds of successful marriages in this big balloon and not a single accident. Now is a chance for a life-time. Don't miss it.



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TOMORROW is the day, when the democrats will meet for the purpose of selecting candidates for the county offices. In the selection of such candidates, let it be done, purely from a standpoint of good and of the best interest of the county; nominate honest, sober, clean, up-right men; men, whom the people will not be afraid to trust and men who will at all times use their office for the betterment of the county. To have a good county as well as a good state or nation, there must be good men at the helm, and the success of our county, as well as every other, depends solely upon its officers. Bad officers, bad government, good officers, good government.

JEREMIAH MORROW WILSON, a great lawyer of Washington, D. C., died suddenly Tuesday, in his apartment, of acute indigestion. He was Rear Admiral Schley's chief counsel in the Sampson-Schley controversy, and had been in consultation with his associate counsel an hour before. His early life was spent in Indiana on the Judicial bench, and in Congress, and after retiring from politics, remained in Washington to practice law, where he built up a large and lucrative practice, and was in the front rank at the bar in the Capitol city.

THE Senatorial fight is on. At Maysville Monday, the four democratic candidates, started the ball for the United States Senate. Wheeler may speak of Gov. McCreary's record, and accuse him of not being loyal to Blackburn; Smith may get the people to properly understand the real issues and Cantrill can plead his twenty years service to his State, but in the end, to him the "tried and true" will be given the crown of victory.

LEON F. CZOLGOSZ, the assassin of President McKinley was found guilty of murder in the first degree Tuesday, by a jury in the Supreme Court in Buffalo. Only eight hours and twenty-six minutes were spent, from the time the trial was begun, until the jury returned a verdict of guilty, and in the electric chair Leon Czolgosz will forfeit that, which he so ruthlessly took.

At a convention held in Birmingham Tuesday, it was decided by the colored population of Alabama, to contest the new Constitution before the Supreme Court of the United States, and should the constitution be approved, it was suggested, by the speakers that the negroes migrate either to Cuba or the Philippines.

MORE serious has grown the strike situation in Hopkins county, having reached that point where authorities thought it wise to call upon the Governor for protection. Of the many strikes, which have occurred during the year, none have risen to a more serious stage, than the one at Earlinton and Madisonville.

ONE Commissioner Procter, it is given out, will push his recommendation for the removal of "Boss" Sapp, just as soon as he returns to Washington. Sapp has manipulated the old republican machine in Louisville, till it wont grind for a ward meeting without turning out a Sapp-y, slimy candidate.

HON. CHARLES J. BRONSTON strikes another one of his wild strains, when he said Marcus Aurelius Hanna was to blame for the assassination of Pres. McKinley. Such statements are just about as reasonable, as it was to say that Jack Chinn or Sanford's friend's friend Guy Goebel.

## PRES. ROOSEVELT'S CAREER

Col. Theodore Roosevelt, 43, who by succession to the deceased William McKinley, forthwith becomes President of the United States, has at all times in his career been a dramatic, yet unusual figure in American politics, and an exceptionally successful one. Although a graduate of New York politics it was as a triumphant enemy of Tammany that he emerged from the State to the national arena, and with his love for strenuous life reaped honors in bewildering succession from the fields hunted over in vain by the old and crafty politicians long in the chase.

Roosevelt comes of old Holland stock being born in New York City, Oct. 27, 1857, with generations before him of Knickerbocker blood. His mother, however, was a descendant of Archibald Bullock, the first President of Georgia, in the American Revolution. He graduated from Harvard in 1880, traveled in Europe, and in the year after gave up the study of law to enter politics. He was elected by the Republicans to the Assembly in the Twenty-first New York City District, and twice was re-elected. He soon became a leader in his party in the Legislature, and when that body became Republican, in 1884, became Chairman. He was champion of the first State Civil Service laws, and was chairman of a committee that investigated abuses of county officials in New York City, secured acts abolishing the fee system in county offices and one depriving Aldermen of veto power over the Mayor's appointments.

After his retirement from the Legislature Roosevelt spent some time in North Dakota on a ranch and developed into the enthusiastic sportsman he has since remained. He made an unsuccessful race for Mayor of New York in 1886 against Abram S. Hewitt, Democrat, who was elected, and Henry George. In 1889 he was appointed a Civil Service Commissioner by President Harrison and in 1895 resigned to become President of New York Board of Police Commission. He stopped police "protection" and enforced the excise and Sunday laws.

As Assistant Secretary of the Navy in April, 1897, Roosevelt devoted all his energy to devising improvements and studying the navy. When the Spanish War broke out he quickly resigned and threw his heart into the organization of the Rough Riders, whose part in the Cuban campaign is well known. As Lieutenant Colonel under Col. Leonard S. Wood, now Governor General of Cuba, he distinguished himself, particularly at Las Guasimas and the capture of San Juan Hill.

After the war Roosevelt was nominated for Governor of New York by Republicans, and in 1898 beat Augustus Van Wyck, Democrat, by 17,786 plurality. He reformed the administration of the canals, pressed the enactment of an improved civil service law and applied the merit system in county offices. He induced the Legislature to assess railroad franchises to use streets as real estate, in the face of a storm from party leaders and corporations.

When the last national campaign drew nigh Roosevelt insisted upon trying for another term as Governor of New York, which he was considered sure to get in case he went before the people, and protested that he did not want the nomination for Vice-President that was pressed upon him from all sides. The party leaders in his own State were opposed to his re-entering the State campaign, having apparently designs that connected with his fixed ideas of what the Governor's policy should be. When Roosevelt went to the convention at Philadelphia, however, he found that body so thoroughly organized to force the nomination upon him that he capitulated. Like McKinley, he had no opposition whatever in the convention.

During the campaign he bore the brunt of the canvass, and vied with the indefatigable Bryan in racing over the country and making speeches at as many points

as his own physical endurance would permit. He invaded the West particularly, and was elected by 292 electoral votes, against 155 cast for his Democratic opponent, Adlai E. Stevenson.

## WILD

M. Meadows spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. F. Poteete, of Pine Hill, was here Wednesday.

J. R. Hayes made a business trip to Lancaster, Sunday.

Robert Cook, of Scaffold Cane, was here Wednesday.

Scarlet fever has taken its departure from our midst.

Born, to the wife of W. H. Jones, Monday, a ten pound girl.

Teed Hamm, of Brodhead, was with our merchants Wednesday.

H. S. Brannaman sold nine mules to Fox, of Garrard, for \$540.00.

The infant child of Riley Durham, died Tuesday and was buried same day.

Mrs. M. Meadows and children, were visiting at Gap and Berea, the first of the week.

W. T. French and T. G. Reynolds, started out on an assessing tour, Wednesday.

Tom Robinson, of Richmond, was in town Wednesday talking groceries, to our merchants.

The L. & N. bread-train passed through the first of the week, and left some happy hearts in our little village.

A good many of our Sunday School contemplate attending the S. S. Convention, to be in session at Mt. Vernon Sept. 28.

## ORLANDO

Jas. Proctor has a very sick boy. Mrs. Lewis Reams is on the sick list.

Sap Owens is in the butchering business.

S. S. Ball was with homefolks Sunday.

Carter Childress, is very sick with fever.

There are a few cases of scarlet fever in this vicinity.

Geo. Reams was in Mt. Vernon on business, Monday.

Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, was in our town Sunday.

Mrs. Mate Johnson has been very sick for several days.

Tom Ball is over in Estill county, working on the new railroad.

Ike Dooley and family, of Withers, was visiting in this vicinity, Sunday.

R. L. Porter is in Cincinnati, buying goods for J. C. Chenault, of this place.

Dr. W. J. Childress, of Livingston, was here Tuesday on professional business.

Joshua Boring, Sr., of Cove, is hauling coal for the Kentucky Stone Company.

There is quite a demand for coal from the mines near here. Ready sale is had for all the Big Hill Mining Co. can get loaded.

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Forest Hickory 2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/2 in. long, Red or White and Red, \$12 per M.  
Forest Hickory 2 3/4 on heart, 3 deep, 28 in. long, Red or White and Red, \$17 per M.  
Forest Hickory 2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/2 deep, 30 in. long, all white 2nd growth, straight grained, free from all defects, \$20 per M.  
2x2 1/4, second growth that is not all white, \$10 per M.  
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**ATTORNEY ROBERT A. FRIEDRICH'S EXPERIENCE IN ALASKA.**

(CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.)

Mrs. Sessions had assisted the girl wife in the preparation of a humble wardrobe suitable for an outdoor life, and as near as can be ascertained they pitched their camp on the mainland opposite the head of Sullivan Island, about October 19. Horton had two guns, a Winchester rifle and double barrel shotgun.

About this time the Indian tribe known as the Kahk-won-ton and certain of the Chilkats concluded to have a sort of inter-tribal potlatch (which is Indian for a general council), lasting sometimes a week or ten days, with plenty to eat and all the alcoholic drinkables they can possibly procure. A brother of Jim Hanson, accompanied by his wife, and a boy, nephew of the woman and son of Una-hootch, one of the Indians subsequently arrested, embarked in a canoe for the purpose of visiting other Indians and soliciting supplies for the great council feast. These Indians were never heard of again. Undoubtedly their canoe met with mishap and the occupants were drowned. After waiting some days an expedition consisting of Jim Hanson, whose Indian name is Qualth, Kichtoo, Mark Klanat, Dave Klanat, Juch Klane, Jim Williams, John Kesh, Qua-ni-ish, Una hootch, Goos, Daykan-teen and Martha Hanson, wife of Jim Hanson, all relatives and friends of the missing Indians, after a council of the tribe, outfitted a was canoe and went in search of their lost relatives. The first night they camped at Taku Glacier; the second day out they landed on Sullivan Island, opposite the camp of the Hortons, about thirty-five miles below Skaguay on Lynn Canal, made a camp, cooked and ate their dinner and then sent out certain of their members to search for traces of their friends. They had agreed that if anything was discovered a gun should be fired, which would be the signal for a hurried assembly at the camp. Some two hours later two shots were heard and immediately afterward Kichtoo and Quani-isn appeared at the camp with a small piece of the canoe in which their friends had embarked. It was recognized by Unahootch, who claimed to have himself painted the canoe. This fragment was found on the sands of the mainland, where it had drifted ashore, as it afterward turned out, some hundred and fifty yards from the tent of the Hortons. These Indians reported that they had gone up to Horton's camp and made inquiries regarding their missing friends; that there was a white man and woman there, and that when they asked the man if he had seen a canoe in that vicinity he hung his head and looked scared and finally admitted that he had seen a canoe with an Indian man and woman and little boy passing along the channel some hundred yards from the shore a few days previous.

The finding of this piece of canoe near the white man's camp and his manner when being interrogated were proof positive to the Indians that in some way these white people were responsible for the loss of the three missing people. They held a council and decided that the white man and woman must die. Immediately they embarked and paddled across the channel, landing some quarter of a mile from Horton's camp. Hanson undoubtedly was the leader. Although young, he was a man of magnificent physique and marvelous courage. He was known as a 'bear fighter' and had killed with his knife (which I now have) in hand to hand encounters, it was claimed, over 100 of these formidable animals. His hunting fields were along the Chilkat River, its tributaries and the interior of that portion of the country bounded by the mountain range bordering on Lynn Canal. When the canoe grounded Hanson, with his Winchester in hand, was the first to leap ashore. As he did so he exclaimed: "Kahk-won-ton, make your hearts strong!" He was followed by seven of the Indians, Una-hootch, Martha Hanson and Goos remained with the canoe. The story of the Indians materially differs on minor points as to what occurred immediately upon coming upon the white people, but Jim Hanson's story, which I believe to be true, was substantially as follows: When they arrived in sight of the tent the white man with a gun in his hands was standing near the entrance and motioned them to keep off. The woman was not in sight. As undoubtedly had been prearranged Mark Klanat spoke to the white man for the purpose of attracting his attention. The moment he looked toward him Hanson, quick as a flash and with unerring aim, shot him through the heart and he fell without a moan. At this moment Mrs. Horton ran from the rear of the tent screaming and calling to her husband, who lay some twenty feet away. Kichtoo fired two shots at her, both taking effect, one through the face, the other in the upper part of her body. She fell and as Kesh, the Indian boy, testified, "squealed." The Indians gathered around her and Jim Williams, who claimed at the trial that Hanson pointed his gun at him and at the same time handing him a knife, said: "You are the Raven's son," took the knife from Hanson's hand and cut the woman's throat, almost severing her head from her body. I am satisfied that this statement of Williams was false. The testimony developed beyond question that it had been agreed that if any one should ever tell of this murder and it got to the white people they would all combine and swear that he alone was the guilty and responsible party.

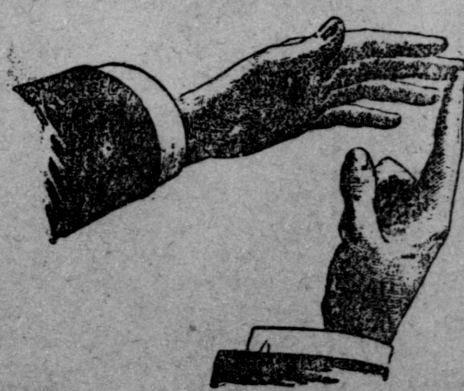
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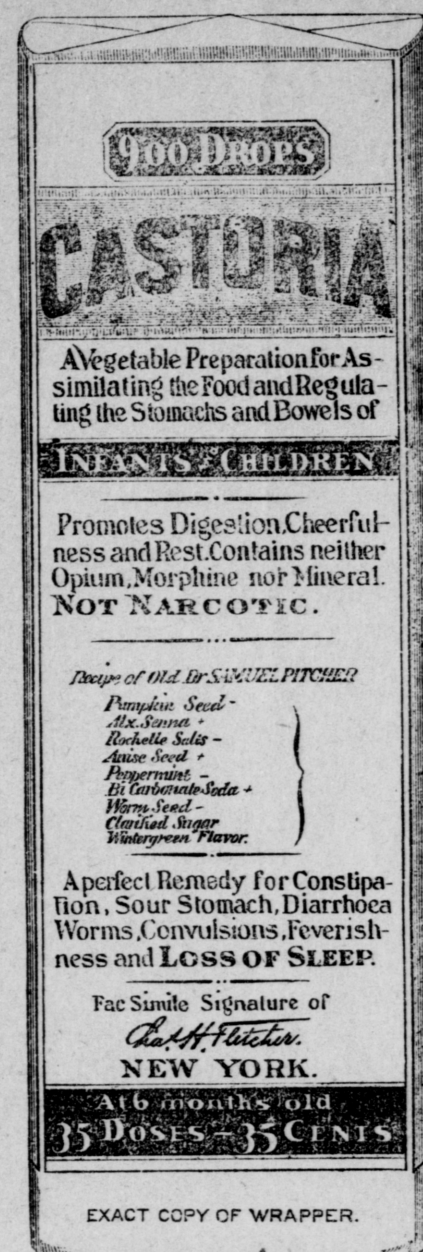


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